

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRUSSELS 09905

NOFORN

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MPOL, NATO, BE  
SUBJECT: BELGIAN INTEREST IN HAWK TRAINING

REF: (A) USNATO 7535, (B) BRUSSELS 9814 (NOTAL)

SUMMARY: BELGIAN JOINT STAFF OFFICER HAS REQUESTED  
INFORMATION NLT SEPTEMBER 5 ON AVAILABILITY OF SPACES AT  
IMPROVED HAWK TRANSITION COURSES AT FORT BLISS AND REDSTONE  
ARSENAL IN CALENDAR YEAR 78. END SUMMARY.

1. BELGIAN JOINT STAFF (FINANCE) OFFICER, COL ROBERT  
CAUCHIE, WHO IS FORMER BELGIAN HAWK PROJECT OFFICER, HAS  
REQUESTED ODC-BELLUX FOR ABOVE INFORMATION.

2. REQUEST FOR THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED BY  
ODC IN A SEPARATE MESSAGE TO CDR TRADOC FT MONROE VA FOR  
ACTION (REFTEL B).

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3. COMMENT: THE BELGIAN REQUEST FOR THIS INFORMATION MAY  
WELL BE AN INDICATION THAT THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT POSITION  
ON BOTH REMAINING IN THE HAWK BELT AND IN IMPROVED  
HAWK IS EVOLVING IN A FAVORABLE DIRECTION. THE BELGIAN  
REQUEST FOR A RESPONSE BY SEPTEMBER 5 WOULD APPEAR TO  
DOVETAIL WITH THE INFORMATION IN PARAS 2 AND 3 REFTTEL A

THAT THE HAWK ISSUE WILL BE DISCUSSED IN A CABINET MEETING  
DURING THE SECOND WEEK OF SEPTEMBER.

4. FOREGOING INFORMATION SHOULD BE TREATED AS NOFORN AND  
SOURCE SHOULD BE FULLY PROTECTED. CHAMBERS

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